

**NEPAL SUN SELF-ASSESSMENT WORKSHOP REPORT**  
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**Kathmandu, Nepal**

## **Background**

In order to measure the progress and efficiency of the Scaling Up Nutrition Movement (SUN) at a global and national level, a SUN Monitoring and Evaluation (M&E) Framework was developed in 2013. In order to ensure mutual accountability, a comprehensive SUN Movement M&E Framework was agreed in 2012 to measure whether the Movement was delivering results. The format for information collection is organised around the four SUN processes. The processes are summarized as **1) Bringing people into a shared space for action 2) Ensuring a coherent policy and legal framework, 3) Aligning programmes around common goals 4) Financial tracking and resource mobilization**

In this context, 2014 is the first year that the SUN Movement is inviting all national multi-stakeholder platforms to organise self-assessment workshops in order to contribute to the annual reporting on progress. The monitoring of national progress forms part of the monitoring routine of all SUN countries Platforms. It is envisioned the outcomes of workshop will contribute to an annual process as a method of ensuring accountability and so that pathways of change can be identified and shared as learning opportunities. To help SUN Country National Focal Points to facilitate this self-assessment, the facilitation notes were provided and explained with greater details through teleconference meetings.

<b>Purpose</b>	To review national progress of the country against the four SUN processes, to feed into the 2014 State of the SUN Movement Progress Report
<b>Expected Result</b>	Validated scoring of progress 2014 (April 2013-April 2014) of the national platform on all 4 SUN processes.
<b>Participants</b>	A range of stakeholders from government and networks (donors, civil society, UN, business)

## **Methodology for measuring the progress**

Progress on each of the four processes is measured by examining the behavioural characteristics of SUN stakeholders at country level. For each of the four SUN processes, the level of behaviour is determined with the use of a pathway of change. Each pathway has steps, called Progress Markers (PM). The PMs indicate progressive levels of behaviour that can be expected as the SUN Movement evolves. Each PM is further detailed with examples (“signs”) of behaviour to help score whether this step is getting started (score 1), on-going (score 2), nearly completed (3), or completed (4) in the country. The use of PMs is grounded in an Outcome Mapping methodology: a well-known method for

tracking behavioural changes as a vehicle for progress in complex and non-linear development environments.

### Workshop proceedings in summary

- The SUN self-assessment workshop was inaugurated by Hon'ble Member of National Planning Commission Dr. Yagya Bahadur Karki and the purpose of this workshop was highlighted by Mr. Bishnu Prasad Nepal, Joint Secretary, Social Development Division, National Planning Commission Secretariat, Government of Nepal.
- The brief overview of SUN (at national as well as global level) was presented and facilitated by Mr. Radhakrishna Pradhan, Programme Director, National Planning Commission Secretariat. The update also included Nepal's participation and sharing of country progress in the SUN Global Gathering in 2011, 2012 and 2013.
- The SUN M & E Framework and a brief overview of measuring the progress on **4 processes** was presented and facilitated by Jhabindra Bhandari, National REACH Facilitator, National Nutrition and Food Security Secretariat, National Planning Commission, and highlighted the reporting processes as required by SUN Movement Secretariat.
- In the morning, the **four** mixed groups were formed who actually reviewed processes (one process for one group) based on the scoring guidelines; and details of their scoring was presented in the larger group with their explanations on comments and suggestions. The individual group work was facilitated by a team of National Planning Commission and National Nutrition Food Security Secretariat.
- In the afternoon, **5** network groups (government, civil society, donor, UN, business) were formed to work on each processes based on the reporting format. In order to solicit inputs from larger group and ensure validation, each network presented the the scoring with further explanations on comments and suggestions for further improvement.
- At the closing of the workshop, Mr. Radhakrishna Pradhan thanked all the participants for their time and active participation. He also appreciated their inputs while scoring the progress and the suggestions as well as ways to improve this further.

### Some of the key reflections

- The level of participation and inputs from several networks (government, civil society, donors, UN and business platform) was quite encouraging. While the business platform is yet to be initiated formally, their interest for participation and engagement in SUN movement has been expressed which is appreciated by all stakeholders.

- The workshop provided an important opportunity to update about SUN movement in general and **the ways to track progress in 4 processes**.
- As this monitoring exercise was new to many stakeholders, the needs for common understanding and clarity in some of the steps of **4 processes** were discussed in the context of country situation.
- The stakeholders pointed out that the outcomes of this workshop would be a baseline progress in 2014 to measure similar progress in 2015.
- The participants from business platform showed keen interest to engage in SUN movement and requested government (NPC) to facilitate the establishment process of business platform for SUN movement.
- Monitoring of **4 processes** are perceived as important pathways to ensure scaling up nutrition where government's leadership and commitments are further enhanced and subsequently, the engagement of multi-sector platforms e.g. civil society, donors, business, UN agencies etc. is strengthened.



**Process 1: Bringing people in the same space**

Score each step: 0 (not applicable); 1 (started); 2 (on-going); 3 (nearly completed); 4 (completed)

STEP	FINAL PLATFORM SCORE (Morning Session)	Score for Government	Score for UN network	Score for Donor network	Score for CSO network	Score for Business network
<b>1. Select/develop coordinating mechanisms at country level</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>1</b>
<i>Explanations: What activities/interventions underly this scoring? (Copy post-its written during workshop)</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>National Nutrition and Food Security Secretariat (NNFSS) has been established since May 2013. The three multi-sectoral working groups: Capacity Development (CDWG), Advocacy and Communication (ACWG) and Monitoring and Evaluation and Management Information System (ME/MIS) and academia platform have been coordinating with government agencies, EDPs, INGOs/NGOs,</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>NNFSS has been established in May, 2013 to provide technical support to National Nutrition and Food Security Coordination Committee and High Level Nutrition and Food Security Steering Committee (HLNFSSC). The three multi-sectoral working groups, capacity development</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>NNFSS has been established.</li> <li>UN agencies are also the members of the three technical working groups formed by NNFSS, NPC. The meetings of HLNFSSC and three working groups are held on regular basis.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>High level steering committee, coordination committee &amp; other technical committees formed, regular.</li> <li>Multi-sector working group meetings are functional</li> <li>NNFSS has been established.</li> <li>Donor agencies are also the members of the three technical working groups formed by NNFSS, NPC. The meetings of HLNFSSC and three</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Alliance already established and started.</li> <li>It has been 2 months coordination with national stakeholder, NPC, CHD is ongoing but regional, district &amp; community level coordination mechanism need to be develop.</li> <li>Within these 2 months of establishment of Alliance, it has been coordinating with NPC, CHD and other relevant</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Signing declaration only</li> <li>Get partly involvement of district chambers in Nutrition policy development</li> </ul>

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	<p>and academia in common platform to deal with nutrition specify and sensitive issues of the country.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>mechanism has been developed /established but not all the structures are yet to be fully institutionalized within government system eg: secretariat (NNFSS)</li> <li>The meetings of High Level Nutrition and Food Security Coordination Committes and all three working groups are held on periodic basis</li> </ul>	<p>(CDWG), Advocacay and Communication (ACWG) and Monitoring and Evaluation and Management Information System (MEMIS) and academia platform has been formed to provide common platform to deal with issues related with nutrition and food security.</p>		<p>working are operational</p>	<p>stakeholders at the national level.</p>	
<p><i>Suggestions made for improvements?</i></p>	<p>NNFSS needs to be fully intitutionlized in the government system.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Meetings at regular intervals are needed</li> <li>interlization of NNFSS in government</li> <li>There needs</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The established mechanism needs to be made more sustainable for long term.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Institutionalization of NNFSS and ownership of government are important</li> <li>The government will own NNFSS fully</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Better coordination mechanism and information dissemination need to be done</li> <li>The coordination</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Representation in national level mechanism</li> <li>Policy advocacy</li> </ul>

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		frequent meetings. • The government should be in position to institutionalize NNFSS fully with own human and financial resources.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Government has to own it in real sense</li> </ul>	in long term	level need to be expanded and mechanism need to be established at regional, district & community level	
<b>2. Coordinate internally and broaden membership/engage with other actors for broader influence</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>1</b>
<i>Explanations: What activities/interventions underly this scoring? (Copy post-its written during workshop)</i>	Recently Ministry of Women, Children and Social Welfare joined the membership <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Internal coordination among various ministries has started</li> <li>Local level &amp; community level involvement and feedback system to be further improved</li> <li>Though MSNP is</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Flexibility in involvement of UN in steering /coordinating committee</li> <li>The members of three multi-sectoral working groups are from the government,</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The initiatives are progressing in positive manner</li> <li>Being a member of three multi-sectoral working groups, the representatives of UN agencies are attending the</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Being a member of three multi-sectoral working groups, the representatives of donor agencies are attending the meetings regularly and providing valuable inputs. While being invitees of HLNFSSC, the representatives of UN agencies are attending the</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>CSANN established, TOR developed to conduct regular meeting among members</li> <li>Membership from circulation decision upto Executive Committee</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Especially in SUN coordination, it is poor. However food security and food supply chain regularise in coordination.</li> </ul>

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	<p>primarily owned by NPC, seven sectoral line ministries, UN agencies, EDPs, INGOs and private sectors, the document highlighted only about the five key ministries, MoHP, MoAD, MoFALD, MoUD and MoE. In the course of exploring internal membership and engagement, Ministry of Women, Children and Social Welfare (MoWCSW) has been involved with the decision of NNFSHLCC. During the revision process of MSNP M&amp;E Framework, the sectoral M&amp;E framework of MoWCSW has been developed.</p> <p>Meanwhile, to deal with communication and advocacy related components, focal person of under-</p>	<p>UN and donor agencies, EDPs, INGOs and academia.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>While the representative from UN and donor agencies, EDPs, INGOs and academia are involving in NNFSHLSC as invitees.</li> </ul>	<p>meetings regularly and providing valuable inputs.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>While being invitees of NNFSHLSC, the representatives of UN agencies are attending the meetings regularly</li> </ul>	<p>meetings regularly</p>		

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	secretary level is assigned in case of Ministry of Information and Communication					
<i>Suggestions made for improvements?</i>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Advocate and communicate to political leadership</li> <li>Need to further explore opportunity of political leadership and engagement business sectors.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Still the multi-sectoral coordination needs to be materialised fully.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Involvement of local communities</li> <li>Broader memberships such as the NGOs, civil society, business communities, etc.</li> <li>Diversity membership</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Involvement of media needs to be explored.</li> <li>Better dissemination of the information needed.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Govt. Involvement of PSO (Private Sector Organization)</li> <li>Coordination of other stakeholders (representation in all levels of Govt)</li> </ul>
<b>3. Engage within / contribute to MSP</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>0</b>
<i>Explanations: What activities/interventions underlie this scoring? (Copy post-its written during workshop)</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Most of the activities within MSP just started and results are yet to be experienced at national level.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Different MSP formed /WGS</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>UN participation &amp; contribution is at high and active level</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Regular meeting happening</li> <li>Linkages with stakeholders still to be established for coordination purpose.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Regular meetings and discussions update</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>No involvement of PSO</li> </ul>



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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>With the establishment of NNFSS since 2013, the MSP has been created. The formation of the three working groups and academia platform provide opportunity to discuss nutrition specific and sensitive related issues among different stakeholders. The platform is using for developing common understanding, exploration of joint efforts, identifying challenges and collective ways to come out, sharing and dissemination the information. However, as it is in the initial year of establishment, the results need to be achieved many more in the coming years.</li> </ul>					
<i>Suggestions made for</i>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Needs to be</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Better</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Result based</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Should broaden</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>But now onwards</li> </ul>

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<i>improvements?</i>		strengthened	coordination joint planning within the UN agencies is required	advocacy	regional & district level coordination mechanism for regular meetings should be continued	it has to be considered to make PSO contribution
<b>4. Track and report on own contribution to MSP</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>
<i>Explanations: What activities/interventions underly this scoring? (Copy post-its written during workshop)</i>	Report on quantitative data not seen so far to track the progress and contribution from sectors	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Regular sharing of experiences in national and international events.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>UNDAF has incorporated and contributions to MSP</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Results to be shared widely</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Yet to be planned</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>No track and report contributed in MSP. As it was not involved and not conducted any activities related to MSNP</li> </ul>
<i>Suggestions made for improvements?</i>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Regular report publication</li> <li>Web based reporting system</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Improvement in tracking and reporting to MSP is necessary</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Identification of stakeholders for decision making</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Better reporting mechanism to be developed.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>PSO role should be aware and it has to be in line with MSNP</li> </ul>
<b>5. Sustain Impact of the MSP</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>
<i>Explanations: What activities/interventions underly this scoring?</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Existing political situation and of turn over of staff</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>MSP integrated in periodic</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>UN is supporting the sustainable</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Just started of discussion among</li> <li>Not integrated only</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Platform already formed</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Does not apply in our case</li> </ul>

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(Copy post-its written during workshop)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>MSP approach on nutrition is in a process of various ministries' planning process</li> </ul>	<p>planning process</p>	<p>impact of MSP</p>	<p>health section involvement and not all the sectors</p>		
<i>Suggestions made for improvements?</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Too early to discuss about impact</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>UN can initiate dialogues for sustainability</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>High level political commitment</li> <li>Mainstreaming nutrition across sectors</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Resources should be available</li> </ul>	

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**Process 2: Coherent policy and legal framework**

Score each step: 0 (not applicable); 1 (started); 2 (on-going); 3 (nearly completed); 4 (completed)

STEP	FINAL PLATFORM SCORE (Morning Session)	Score for Government	Score for UN network	Score for Donor network	Score for CSO network	Score for Business network
<b>1. Analyse existing nutrition-relevant policies and programmes</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>0</b>
<i>Explanations: What activities/interventions underly this <b>scoring</b>? (Copy post-its written during workshop)</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Still some of policies are in finalization process – Agriculture Development Strategy (ADS) and Agriculture Food Security and Nutrition Plan</li> <li>• MSNP already finalized &amp; endorsed (4 Strategy)</li> <li>• WASH Master Plan – Completed</li> <li>• MIYCN, Multi year Plan – only in Plan</li> <li>• Maternal nutrition policy – already</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• NAGA Report in 2009/10 and MSNP launching in 2012</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• A lot of review has been undertaken as part of MSNP development and beyond.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Not all policies are formulated in all sectors</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Regular analysis of the policies and programme</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Not involved yet</li> </ul>

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	completed					
<i>Suggestions made for improvements?</i>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Need to utilize the analysis of the data for policy and program development</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Effective implementation or incorporation of the review findings</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Policies should be finalized from all sectors</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Dissemination should be done</li> <li>Analysis for monitoring to be established</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Need to engage business sector for nutrition promotion</li> </ul>
<b>2. Mainstream nutrition in own policies and strategies</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>0.5</b>	<b>0</b>
<i>Explanations: What activities/interventions underly this <b>scoring</b>? (Copy post-its written during workshop)</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>National health policy – Poverty mentioned</li> <li>Other policies- clearly mentioned</li> <li>MSNP has addressed mainstreaming of nutrition</li> <li>Other sectors – Just started to incorporate nutrition agenda in the policies</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Mainstreamed in sectoral ministries’ policies and strategies</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Overall, all UN agencies have reflected nutrition in own policies &amp; strategies</li> </ul>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Internalization by different sectors on importance of nutrition and engagement through CSANN</li> <li>series of advocacy meetings by CSANN are planned</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Not get involved</li> </ul>
<i>Suggestions made for improvements?</i>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Policy review and dissemination</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Each and every programme of the agencies needs to be</li> </ul>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Still need to mainstream in policies &amp; programme</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Get involved in all forum</li> </ul>

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			viewed /aligned through the nutrition sensitive lens.			
<b>3. Coordinate / harmonise member inputs in policy / legal framework development</b>	<b>2.5</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>
<i>Explanations: What activities/interventions underly this scoring? (Copy post-its written during workshop)</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Focal person already assigned in different ministries</li> <li>District level multi-sector steering committees already formed in each MSNP district</li> <li>Planned activities included in line ministries work plan</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Coordinated with UN agencies with development partners for input comments</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>All the agencies are ensuring the process through the respective line agencies</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Inadequate level of coordination and harmonization for policy and legal framework development</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Only HANCI evidences</li> </ul>	
<i>Suggestions made for improvements?</i>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>More effective coordination with main stakeholders</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>It should be continued and strengthened</li> </ul>			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Except nutrition part PSO, Get well involvement in policy legal framework development</li> </ul>
<b>4. Influence policy/legal framework</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>

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<b>development through advocacy/contribution</b>						
<i>Explanations: What activities/interventions underly this <b>scoring</b>? (Copy post-its written during workshop)</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Ongoing</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Harmonization of various policies through advocacy</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Support is ongoing</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Activities not started but policies/ strategies are updated. Activities not started but policies/ strategies are updated</li> <li>Sector policies not in place</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Regular advocacy meeting with CHD, DoHs&amp; NPC</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Involved in different policy legal framework development</li> </ul>
<i>Suggestions made for improvements?</i>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Revise the sectoral policies strategies if needed</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Much needs to be done and supported/ facilitated</li> </ul>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Increase gradually the frequency of meetings</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Need to make involvement of PSO</li> </ul>
<b>5. Disseminate policy and operationalize / Enforce legal framework</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>
<i>Explanations: What activities/interventions underly this <b>scoring</b>? (Copy post-its written during workshop)</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Ongoing process</li> <li>Still some policies are in process of finalization &amp; endorsement</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Policies are disseminated to the wider stakeholders</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Dissemination is supported by UN</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Policies not in place so dissemination not happening</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Only HANCI and generation nutrition evidences shared among CSANN members</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Workshop /seminar, sensitization</li> </ul>
<i>Suggestions made for improvements?</i>			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Further support for dissemination need to be</li> </ul>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Need to be shared</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Need to make involvement of PSO</li> </ul>

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<b>6. Track and report results for steering and learning / Sustain policy impact</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>
<i>Explanations: What activities/interventions underly this <b>scoring</b>? (Copy post-its written during workshop)</i>	Ongoing	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Takes time to measure the impact of the programme</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>All related activities are being supported and ongoing.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Gap in learning and sustain policies</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Jointly initiated with relevant stakeholders</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Not in place</li> </ul>
<i>Suggestions made for improvements?</i>			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Much more needs to be done e.g. is maternity protection issues</li> </ul>			

**Process 3: Common Results Framework for National Nutrition Plan (aligned programming)**

Score each step: 0 (not applicable); 1 (started); 2 (on-going); 3 (nearly completed); 4 (completed)

STEP	FINAL PLATFORM SCORE (Morning Session)	Score for Government	Score for UN network	Score for Donor network	Score for CSO network	Score for Business network
<b>1. Align own programmes to national nutrition-relevant policies</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>0</b>
<i>Explanations: What activities/interventions underly this <b>scoring</b>? (Copy</i>	Aligned at national level only	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Sectoral ministries are aligning their</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Efforts are made for programmatic</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Most of the programme are aligned with</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>All CSOs have met programme</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Not in place</li> </ul>



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post-its written during workshop)		policies in line with MSNP	alignment	MSP	allined with national nutrition	
<i>Suggestions made for improvements?</i>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Thorough study required for better screening of the policies</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>However, UN HR policies such as maternity leave/ provision need to be aligned with the maternal nutrition strategy (with ILO)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>On going</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Need involvement of PSO in all level of MSNP</li> </ul>
<b>2. Translate policy / legal framework in Common Results Framework (CRF) for SUN</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0.5</b>	<b>0</b>
<i>Explanations: What activities/interventions underly this <b>scoring</b>? (Copy post-its written during workshop)</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Limited budget allocation</li> <li>Limited coordination</li> <li>Limited capacity</li> <li>Adaptable in VDCs</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>SUN M&amp;E framework available /MSNP M&amp;E framework in progress of revision</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>REACH is supporting CRF, M&amp;E framework.</li> <li>UNDAF even it to some extent</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>CRF on going</li> <li>M&amp;E framework not finalized</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Some of policies organization has started the programme</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Not in place</li> </ul>
<i>Suggestions made for improvements?</i>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>M&amp;E framework finalization adaptation</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Push for endorsement</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>CRF to be developed and finalized soon</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Need involvement of PSO in all level of MSNP</li> </ul>
<b>3. Organise implementation of CRF</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>
<i>Explanations: What activities/interventions</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Resources allocation</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>M&amp;E framework still to be</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Taking UNDAF as CRF for UN, all</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>CRF framework</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Joint strated (IYCF, Maternal</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Not in place</li> </ul>

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<i>underly this <b>scoring</b>?</i> (Copy post-its written during workshop)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>minimal</li> <li>Limited coordination between line ministries</li> <li>Minimal capacity of stakeholders</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>finalized</li> <li>But existing M&amp;E operational</li> </ul>	agencies responsible for CRF	not formed	nutrition)	
<i>Suggestions made for improvements?</i>						<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Need involvement of PSO in all level of MSNP</li> </ul>
<b>4. Manage implementation of CRF</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>
<i>Explanations: What activities/interventions underly this <b>scoring</b>?</i> (Copy post-its written during workshop)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Just completed MSNP M&amp;E framework revision</li> </ul>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>SUN has introduced CRF recently. Further review is needed for better understanding</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>CRF on going</li> <li>MSNP sectoral M&amp;E framework has been finalized</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Joint Intervention just started</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Not in place</li> </ul>
<i>Suggestions made for improvements?</i>						<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Need involvement of PSO in all level of MSNP</li> </ul>
<b>5. Track and report implementation results for steering and learning/evaluate to sustain impact</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0 (N/A)</b>	<b>0</b>
<i>Explanations: What activities/interventions</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Limited coverage</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Needs to strengthen the</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The relvency of CRF is yet to be</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>CRF on going</li> <li>M&amp;E framework</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Not in place</li> </ul>

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<i>underly this <b>scoring</b>?</i> (Copy post-its written during workshop)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• NA</li> </ul>	operation	comprehended, given that MSNP has already a comprehensive M&E framework with results from all sectors.	not finalized		
<i>Suggestions made for improvements?</i>						<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Need involvement of PSO in all level of MSNP</li> </ul>

**Process 4: Financial tracking and resource mobilisation**

Score each step: 0 (not applicable); 1 (started); 2 (on-going); 3 (nearly completed); 4 (completed)

STEP	FINAL PLATFORM SCORE (Morning Session)	Score for Government	Score for UN network	Score for Donor network	Score for CSO network	Score for Business network
<b>1. Assess financial feasibility</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>
<i>Explanations: What activities/interventions underly this <b>scoring</b>?</i> (Copy post-its written during workshop)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Only planning on MSNP and that is yet to be applied</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Each sector has increased budget</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Facilitate introduction of budget code for both nutrition specific &amp; sensitive sectors as suggested by financial review</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Costed plan is in place but activities not started yet</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• We are assessing (ongoing)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Certain fund is mobilized for CRF</li> </ul>
<i>Suggestions made for improvements?</i>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Targeted/coverage to be increased</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• This needs to be further lobbied and supported</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Activities should be implemented so that costed plan be reviewed</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• CSANN is trying to make collaborative effort for financial feasibility</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• PPP model programme design</li> </ul>

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2. Track and (transparently) accounting of spending	3	2	1	1	1	3
<i>Explanations: What activities/interventions underly this <b>scoring</b>? (Copy post-its written during workshop)</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Financial reporting and tracking is in place</li> <li>Sharing of lessons learnt</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The process of transparency accounting functional in this existing plan</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Individual UN agencies do annual tracking with both specific and sensitive sectors needs to continue as before.</li> <li>Only applicable for the funds supported by UN to Government.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Difficult to track individual donor's funding</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Ongoing. We have plan to track and initiate the process</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>PSO mobilized &amp; channelized their funding according to organization system.</li> </ul>
<i>Suggestions made for improvements?</i>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Spending by districts/ reporting mechanism</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Once the budget code is applicable in place, this will be ensured.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Tracking mechanism should be developed</li> </ul>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Consideration needed for future involvement PSO.</li> </ul>
3. Scale up and align resources (incl. filling the gaps)	3	2	1	3	1	1
<i>Explanations: What activities/interventions underly this <b>scoring</b>? (Copy post-its written during workshop)</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Allocated sectoral scale-up (increasing)</li> <li>Gap fulfil</li> <li>Expenditure low</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Government is going to increase additional budget</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>UN started fulfilling the GAP on MSNP to nutrition specific and sensitive sectors</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Gaps already identified</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Align resources – in progress</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Very low in nutrition related programme</li> </ul>
<i>Suggestions made for improvements?</i>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Coordination for planning to be strengthened</li> </ul>				

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		and funding to be increased				
<b>4. Honour commitments (turn pledges into disbursements)</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>
<i>Explanations: What activities/interventions underly this <b>scoring</b>? (Copy post-its written during workshop)</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Allocated budget by Govt. and EDPs</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Initiate to increase budget from government side.</li> <li>EDPs are willing to increase budget</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Allocating budget to GoN</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Commitment from EDP very positive</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>We are exploring the resources</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Needs commitment to scale up nutrition programme</li> </ul>
<i>Suggestions made for improvements?</i>			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>UN support to nutrition program through MoHP and other sectors</li> </ul>			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Employment generating promoting</li> <li>Get involved in policy/strategy / action plan</li> </ul>
<b>5. Ensure predictability / sustain impact / multi-year funding</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>
<i>Explanations: What activities/interventions underly this <b>scoring</b>? (Copy post-its written during workshop)</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Long term yes</li> <li>Gap fulfill yes (EDP)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Multi year financial planning is reflected on MSP.</li> <li>Existing budget to sectoral ministries will</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Pooled funds / increasingly available</li> <li>Budget ceiling to nutrition is still awaited</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Existence of multiyear finance /funding</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>No funding assurance for long term</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Employment generating can reduce poverty in country and which will be impact on Nutrition</li> </ul>

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		continue			
<i>Suggestions made for improvements?</i>				<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Financial gaps should be reduced further.</li> <li>• Sustainable funding to be ensured</li> <li>• Government ownership</li> <li>• Local governance should be strengthened.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Network mobilization of DCCI- District Community Communication and Information and MCCI- Municipality Communication and information</li> </ul>